

Additional Education Supplies and Needs

SOP academic programs must provide all instructional materials and technology required to operate the academic program. Students, parents, the employing school divisions, and the host facilities are not required to provide any funding or materials. In addition to salaries, benefits, and indirect costs, state funds are used for:

- Substitute teachers
- Instructional Technology (hardware, software, internet service, and infrastructure)
- Instructional Materials (pencils, paper, textbooks, consumables, supplementary materials, library books, test prep materials, etc.)
- Fine Arts (music and art) materials
- Health/PE materials
- Related Services as determined by IEP teams (Speech and Language, Occupational Therapy, Physical Therapy, Counseling, Sign Language Interpreting, etc.)
- Contracted English Language Learner services at facilities who do not have an ELL teacher
- Office supplies (postage, copier/fax rentals, phone service, etc.)
- Greenhouse materials
- CTE and STEM materials
- Staff professional development
- Staff travel
- Meals for all day meetings
- SOP required purchases (student information system, STAR testing subscription)
- Classroom and office furniture
- GED® preparation materials, pre-testing, and GED® testing
- WIDA® Testing Materials (required testing for students identified as English Language Learners)
- Online curriculums, subscriptions, and certifications
- Student celebrations
- Open House, Career Day, and other guest speakers/functions
- Post graduate courses and services
- Online learning (GradPoint™)